

### **The Week Ahead**

#### **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> January**

Y4 Gospel assembly 2.45 pm Everyone is welcome to join us.

#### **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> January**

KS2 planetarium experience

#### **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> January**

Toddler group 9:15am-10:30 am

Y6 booster 3.15 – 4.30 pm

### **Class Led Gospel Assemblies**

Each class takes a turn at leading our Gospel assemblies on Monday afternoons at 2:45pm. You are always welcome to join with us. The following classes will be leading assemblies up to half term.

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January Year 3

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February Year 2

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February Year 1

### **Key Stage 2 Sats**

Key Stage 2 Sats will start week commencing Monday 8th May. Y6 children must be in school for these important tests.

### **KS2 planetarium experience**

Each KS2 class will have a session in a mobile planetarium next Tuesday so they can explore more about space.

### **Y4 residential**

This year we are offering Year 4 the opportunity to experience a one night residential at Kingswood Dearne Valley from Tuesday 25th April- Wednesday 26th April 2017. There will be an information session for parents to find out more information on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at 3.15 pm.

### **Attendance last week**

F2	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
96%	93.3%	91%	97.6%	97.4%	95.7%	<b>99%</b>

Congratulations to Year Y6. Well done.

## **Our Lady and St Joseph's Catholic Primary School**

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### **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2017**

### **Young Voices**

A massive well done to all the children who took part in Young Voices last week at Sheffield arena. Along with thousands of other children from all over Yorkshire, they gave their families and friends a fantastic concert that we will all remember.

### **KS2 Athletics**

Congratulations to the KS2 athletics teams who took part in the St. Pius Learning Community Athletics meet this week. The boys came first and the girls came second; overall Our Lady and St. Joseph's came second.

### **Jess cup**

The Jess cup is presented once a week to a child who staff consider shows impeccable behaviour and makes an exceptional contribution to the life of the school. The winner last week was Libbie Hoyle Congratulations, Libbie!

### **First Holy Communion**

If any child in Y3 or above is interested in making their First Holy Communion this year, please contact Fr Evangelist, Mrs Lambert on 07763538839 or Mrs Featherstone-Bennett on 01709 879313 for more information.

### **Kindness Awards**

Lexi Smith, LiliaYeardley, Evie Parker- Burdin and Jessica Weekes were nominated by their peers for a kindness award this week. Well done!

### **Be Food Smart**

Children in England consume more than 11g of sugar at breakfast time alone, almost 3 sugar cubes according to Public Health England (PHE). The recommended daily maximum is no more than 5 cubes of sugar for 4 to 6 year olds and no more than 6 cubes for 7 to 10 year olds per day. By the end of the day children have consumed more than 3 times these recommendations.

Some of the main sources of sugar at breakfast time include sugary cereals, drinks and spreads. Away from the breakfast table children are also consuming too much sugar, saturated fat and salt in items such as confectionery, biscuits, muffins, pastries and soft drinks. These all contribute to an unhealthy diet.

A new Be Food Smart app has been developed to highlight just how much sugar, saturated fat and salt can be found in everyday food and drink that children eat. The free app helps choose healthier options and works by scanning the barcode of products to compare brands, and features food detective activities for children and mini missions the whole family can enjoy.

To find out more go to;

<https://www.nhs.uk/change4life-beta/be-food-smart#HaBy6h9jJ7zAbXX8.97>

### **Dates for your diary**

Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> February	School closes for the half term holiday
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> February	School opens after the half term holiday
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	Sponsored Toss the Pancake event
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> March	Ash Wednesday
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	World Book Day
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Open evening
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	School closes for the Easter holidays
Monday 24 April	School opens for the summer term
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	Bank holiday
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May – Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> May	KS2 Sats week
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	School closes for the half term holiday
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	School opens after the half term holiday
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> June to 30 <sup>th</sup> June.	Y6 residential to Castleton
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	School closes for the summer holidays

### **Next week's dinner menu**

Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Red	Pasta Bolognaise	Chicken Enchilada	Burger in a Bun	Roast Chicken with Sage & Onion Stuffing	Fish Fingers
Yellow	Quorn Sausage Hotpot	French Bread Pizza	Salmon Fishcake	Quorn Tortilla Layer	Macaroni Cheese
Green	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings				
Blue-Sandwich	Tuna Mayonnaise	Cheese	Ham	Turkey	Egg Mayonnaise
	Garlic Bread	Seasoned Potato Wedges	Diced Potatoes	Roast / Creamed Potatoes	Chips
	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
	Chocolate Orange Sponge & Chocolate Sauce  Strawberry Mousse	Marble Sponge & Custard  Ice Cream & Fruit Wedges	Cornflake Tart & Custard  Muffin	Jam Roly Poly & Custard  Cookie & Milk	Sticky Ginger Slice & Custard  Iced Finger

### **Special diners**

Cereza Nodder, James Hubery, Voilet Parks-Marriott, Jo Jackson, Lacie Briggs, Tyler Weeks, Oliwia Borowiec, Olivia Lloyd.

### **School Website**

Reminder - Each class has a blog on the school website where you can see what your child's class has been doing during the week. Please take a look at the work they have done.